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Applicant: Don C. Rowlett et al.

Serial No. 10/666,270

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For: SEEDING TOOL GROUP ART UNIT: 3671

EXAMINER: Christopher J. Novosad

CONFIRMATION NO. 7737

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April 29, 2005

Sir:

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- Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. Enclosed are:
 - [X] Response to Office Action Mailed November 3, 2004, including replacement drawing sheets 1-8
 - [X] Change of Correspondence Address
- 2. Applicant is other than a small entity.
- 3. The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

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- 4. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136 apply. Applicants petition for an extension of three (3) months. Charge the fee for the three month extension of \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 502832.
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are made by this present amendment. The amended paragraph is listed on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are made by this present amendment. The listing of the currently pending claims begins on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the drawings have been made by this amendment. There are eight attached replacement drawing sheets (Drawing Sheets 1-8).

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.

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